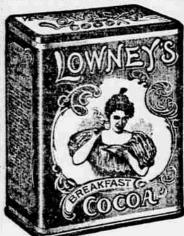
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CITY ITEMS.

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JOIN IN PATRIOTIC SERVICES.

Sons and Daughters of Revolution at St. Peter's Episcopal Church. Special patriotic services commemorative

of Washington's Birthday and participated

of Washington's Birthday and participated in by the Sons of the Revolution, the Daughters of the Revolution and the Janlor Societies, were held yesterday morning at St. Peter's Episcopal Church.

Two hundred members of the patriotic societies, wearing their insignia and carrying flags, marched down the aisle behind the choir boys during the processional, and took seats at the front of the nave. Ornate programmes of the order of services had been prepared, on the cover being a head of George Washington surrounded by wreaths and the colors of the Sons of the Revolution, blue and buff, with gold ornamentation.

The services began with the processional:
"We March, We March to Victory." Bishop Tattle read the gospel service, and was assisted by the Reverends G. D. B. Miller, W. R. Scarritt and William Short, paster of St. Peter's Church. Doctor Short preached the sermon, on the text: "What mean ye by this service?" Exodus xii, 26.

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Green's Brigade Reunion.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.
Waco, Tex., Feb. 22.—Greene's Brigade
Association, United Confederate Veterans. Association, United Confederate Veterans, closed the twenty-first annual reunion yesterday in this city and adjourned to meet in Weimer, Tex., next year, W. A. Shaw of Dalias was elected president, John C. Rankin of Brenham secretary and F. S. Wade of Elgin treasurer: the latter two officers being re-elected. The brigade will have an encampment at Dalias during the Confederate reunion.

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GREAT EXCITEMENT ENSUED.

Preacher Helped Capture Slaver and Turn Him Over to Officers-Held by Coroner's Jury.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Mount Vernon, III., Feb. 23 .- George Hatfield, a 19-year-old boy, shot and instantly killed McLean Dixon Gillian, commonly called Richard Gillian, under most peculiar efreumstances last night.

George Hatfield, Harry Stewart and Aibert Young had been drinking and were near a "blind tiger" which is conducted by a citizen in a building used as a depot for beer, Hatfield, Stewart and Young, it seems, had made themselves very obnoxious to denizens of the place, and during the evening, according to the story of witnesses had attempted to pick quarrels with a num ber of young men who passed that way. Richard Gillian, who was killed, had just returned from attending a revival meeting at the Epworth Mission, which was in charge of the Reverend J. F. Harmon of the First M. E. Church, Gillian had attended the meetings for some time, and last night, in answer to the appeals from the preacher, had risen for prayers.

Met Hatfield Crowd. After services he and the Reverend Mr. Harmon left the church together, but part-ed at Park avenue, near the Air Line Depot, when the Reverend Mr. Harmon continued his way west and Gillian turned south on Pork avenue, when he was met by his cousin and boon companion, James Gildan. The two were attracted by sounds of rloting in the direction of the beer depot and started that way, when Stewart, Hatfield and Young appeared and, according to James Gillian, the three attempted to as-sault James, but he pulled one of the three in front of him, and thus saved himself further trouble. There seem to have been but three or four eyewitnesses to the kill-ing, but, according to James Gillian, Harry Stewart appeared again suddenly in front of James and Richard Gillian and, throwing his coat to the ground, boasted, with oaths, of his prowess as a fighter, following this up by punching James and Richard Gillian and then striking Richard with a beer but-tle. George Hatfield, according to wit-nesses, then rushed forward with threats and profanity, and when very close to Richard Gillian, fired point-blank at his head, the shot taking effect in the left eye and he fell dead in his tracks.

The Reverend J. F. Harmon, who had been attracted by the noise, returned and saw Gillian as he fell and assisted James Gillian in the capture of Hatfield, whom they at once turned over to Deputy Sheriff Mose Staniey, not, however, until James Gillian had beaten Hatfield thoroughly.

Apparently No Cause for Crime. James Gillian, as well as his cousin, who was killed, is a Kentuckian and devoid of was killed, is a Kentuckian and devoid of fear, and the assault on them, according to his story and that of the Reverend J. F. Harmon and other eye witnesses, was wholly without cause or excuse. After Hatfield fred the fatal shot, some one in the crowd threw a brick which struck Stewart in the head, inflicting a painful though not serious wound.

serious wound.

Feeling was intense at the time among the bystanders, and had not Stewart, Hat-field and Young been in the custody of the officers soon after the killing, it is probable they would have suffered violence at the

they would have suffered violence at the hands of the crowd.

The Reverend J. F. Harmon at the First M. E. Church this morning changed the rogramme and instead of his sermon gave a graphic account of the tragedy and spoke strongly of the trouble that follows a violation of God's and man's laws.

The Gillians, who bear excellent reputations, came to Illinois from Kentucky three years ago, and a brother of the deceased was killed by a railroad accident two years ago.

ago
Feeling generally is bitter against the
three men under arrise, No killing in twenty years has caused as much excitement in
this place. Verdict of Coroner's Jury.

Verdict of Coroner's Jury.

A Coroner's jury composed of B. C. Wells, Ed Jordan, T. E. Westcott, Harry Spleas, Henry Hinkey and John Liebengood rendered the following verdict:

"The jury finds that McLean Dixon Gillian came to his death by a pistol shot fired by George Hattheld, and that Harry Siewart stood by aiding, abetting and encouraging the crime, and also find that there seems to have been no cause or provocation on the part of deceases. The jury recommends that said George Hatfield and recommends that said George Haffeld and Harry Stewart be held without ball for further investigation and they also find par-tial evidence connecting Alfred Young with the crime, and also recommend that he be held for investigation.

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ker, former president of the Fourth National Bank, and for years prominent is church work as a Methodist, were held yesterday afternoon at Centenary Metho-cist Church, Sixteenth and Pine streets. The large church was crowded to the fullest extent to accommodate the many friends and admirers of the dead man. From the pulpit both laymen and ministers aided n lauding the dead man's elevated char-

in lauding the dead man's elevated character and purity of life.

The Reverend Joseph H. Young, pastor of the church, made the introductory address, and the Reverend Michael Burnham of Pligrim Congregational Church pronounced the opening prayer. Murray Carleton and Frank P. Hays spoke briefly concerning Mr. Baker as a business man, saying that for integrity and henesty of purpose he was a model for all. The Reverend Richard D. Smart of Cook Avenue Hethodist Church and the Reverend W. F. McMurray also delivered memerial addresses

dresses

Mr. Baker died three weeks ago to-day.
The frieral services were held at his home,
and many of his friends were unable to be
present and expressed a desire that a
church service be held where all could publicly express their grief.

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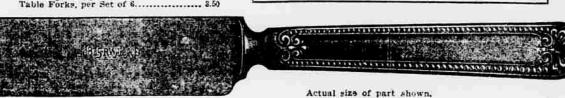
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DOCTOR F. C. RIELOFF Imperial German Consul at St. Louis, who maintains an expensive bachelor residence in the West End and belongs to the Noonday and University clubs.

to attach extraordinary importance to St. Louis as a factor in the world's progress, as well as in the development of the South, perhaps is candidly demonstrated by the selection for resident Consul in this city of a tried and polished diplomat who has filled responsible posts, at critical periods,

in three continents. The man who represents Germany in St. Louis is the friend of Prince Henry and an acquaintance of the Kaiser. Besides, he knows the prominent statesmen of England and of the principal Continental nations. having served his country in several large cities of Europe, the prominent naval officlais of the United States and the executive officers of China and Japan. All these men he met in his official capacity. It has been his honor to entertain Prince Henry in Hong-Kong, China, and to be the Prince's guest at the palace at Kiel. He will be the first person to greet Prince Henry next

Doctor F. C. Rieloff is the Imperial German Consul in St. Louis. His title signifies "doctor of law" and he is not an M. D. The Consul's intimation of the reason for his transfer to St. Louis, though couched in diplomatic verbiage, is readily intelligible and admits of sure deduction.

"Why am I here?" he repeats, shrugging his shoulders, as though that gesture were response sufficient. "The answer is easy," continues, with a winning smile. "I am in St. Louis to represent my country." And query in the expression of your face. "Is

fire twice yesterday. About 2:35 in the morning an alarm was received for a fire in the building of the Branch Saw Company, at Broadway and Palm street.

The blaze threatened the entire building, but was finally confined to one part of the structure and extinguished after the machinery in the building had been damaged \$2.000.

Several hours later, as Patrolman Drawes was passing the building, he noticed that the fire had broken out anew, and sent the second alarm. This time the firemen were sure the blaze was thoroughly extinguished. The loss is fully covered by insfirance. occupation and limiting their acquaintance-ship to the members of their country's col-

But the present German Consul is entirely modern in his methods. His associates are the best people in the city. He resides in the fashionable district. He belongs to

That the German Government has come | exclusive clubs. He converses with business men during the day and courts society in

the evening Extensive Bachelor Establishment. Doctor Rieloff maintains an expensive pachelor establishment at No. 3827 West Pine boulevard. He is a member of the Pine boilevard. He is a member of the Noonday Club and University Club. The investiture of his home is exclusively American. All the furniture, portieres and ornaments were made in St. Louis. "Forty, and still a bachelor," he said yesterday as he reviewed the trappings in his house. "Do you think my taste is as good as a wife's could be? Perhaps not. Nevertheless, don't you think I amongment to take over the country of the you think I am competent to take care of myself? The wallpaper, furniture, paint-ings, brie-a-brae and everything in the house I chose myself. Visitors say there is harmony. They think the investiture was purchased in New York. Not at all. I bought everything in St. Louis. And I could get no better in the East than here. I am

The Kaiser's representative is 40 years old. In deportment and appearance he is as American as a native, though he speaks with a slight German accent, which, however, gives a soft inflection to his words. He has light hair and a sandy mustache, a high forchead, ruddy cheeks and a pair of b.g. bright, piercing blue eyes. Having served in London for six years as attache and Vice Consul, he is a master of pure English, He also speaks German, French, Spanish and Italian fluently.

Tells of Varied Experiences. While chatting in his "den" yesterday morning Doctor Ricioff reverted to his ex-periences as Consul in different parts of the world. The valet put a bottle of fine claret on the center table. A sip of the invigorating liquor awakened a store of memories, and the wreaths of clgar and cigarette smoke carried the listener to far-away Hong-Kong, Canton, Manila, Cairo, Rome, Berlin and London. Excellent specimens of solid silver vessels of all kinds, whose decorations were hand-carved by netter Chiorations were hand-carved by patient Chinamen, and rare paintings collected in Ja-pan were distributed about the "den," seemingly in confirmation of the Consul's ac-

counts of travel and adventure.

Doctor Rieloff stated, "Princess Henry visited the city. She remained for three
menths, making her home at the Prince's
villa. That was in 1888. In 1899 Prince Henry
'Came to Hong-Kong and was my guest for
about a month.

"The American people will like the Prince,
He is a man, every inch of him. He is
whole-souled, brave and amiable. I never
met a more agreeable man. He is very
genial, Before coming to St. Lewis I was
Prince Henry's guest in the palace at Kiel
for five days. I stopped there on my way
to this city, having traveled in Egypt after
leaving Hong-Kong. At Kiel I met the
Kalser.

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Talks of World's Fair.

"You asked me why I left an important post to come here. It was on account of the World's Fair. Many German noblemen and statesmen probably will come to St. Louis during the Exposition. All the countries of the world will have exhibits. There will be much important work here. In addition to the World's Fair dutles there is much other important work. This part of the country is developing. I am bound to send to my Government whatever information concerning commerce and industry that I think my Government should have. There is much to do, you see."

commerce and industry that I think my Government should have. There is much to do, you see."

Dector Releoff entered the Berlin Forelan Office in 1889, remaining there until 1882. This clerical work familiarized him with the practical features of diplomacy, as his position enabled him to peruse communications from various Ambassadors.

In 1892 he was sent to London as attache to the legation, which had a stuff of twenty-five men. In 1894 he was appointed Vice Consul. In 1895 he was appointed Vice Consul. In 1895 he was appointed Vice Consul. In 1895 he was produced to the harbor of London.

Throughout 1888 he officiated as Consul in Hong-Kong and Acting Consul in Canton. The next year found him with the German Minister at Tokio, Japan, and in 1996 he was sent to Manila to take charge of the consulate there. While Doctor Releoff was absent to Japan his residence in Hong-Kong was placed at the service of Captain Richmond P. Hobson, who is a friend of the Consul. In Hong-Kong the doctor met Admirtal Dewey, and in Manila he met Governor General Taff and other prominent Americans.

Doctor Ricloff and several friends proceeded u the Yang-tse-Kinig River in a small houseboat. propelled by a steam faunch, for a distance of about 250 miles firture than any white man ever penefit the company of Chinese soldiers on the boat company of Chinese soldiers on

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business and social associates were in attendance.

A programme of religious music and memorial addresses had been arranged. Masters Jacob Blumberg, Jacob Lleberstein, Louis Fogel and Harry Berger, violin quartet, rendered Chopin's funeral march, This was followed by the opening prayer, pronounced by the Reverend Leon Harrison. Emil Mayer delivered the opening address, which was followed by a violin dust by Professor Victor Lichtenstein and Master Jacob Blumberg. Harry Simon then delivered an address, as did Elikan W. Glauber president of the association. The Reverend Leon Harrison delivered the memorial sermon. The Reverend H. J. Messing pronounced the closing prayer.

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PRAISE FOR LOCAL ARTISTS.

Paintings Exhibited in Detroit Receive High Commendation. Local members of the Society of Western Artists are receiving a full share of the praise bestowed upon the exhibition of the paintings of the society now being held in the Art Museum in Detroit. Director Griffith of the Art Museum, in speaking of the exhibition, said: "The collection of paintings is a most excellent one, and shows that great progress is being made by the artists in their interpretations of nature and their methods of execution."

The works of Holmes Smith, president of the society; Edmund Wuerpel, Carl Waldeck, F. O. Sylvester, Gustav Wolff, F. L. Stoddard, Miss Cornelin F. Maury, Paul E. Harney, Robert P. Bringhurst, Charles Percy Davis and Louis F. Berneker are spoken of as being of much excellence and originality. Holmes Smith's "Minlatures," Wuerpel's "Vague Dreams," and Sylvester's "Impossible" Mississippi River pictures evoked especial interest. paintings of the society now being held in

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NATURALISTS' CLUB MEETING-The maly in confirmation of the Consul's accounts of trayel and adventure.

"While I was Consul in Hong-Kong,"

Naturalists Club met Saturday evening at No. 2342 Albion place and listened to the reading of a paper by the host, Doctor H.

M. Whelpley, on "The Collector."

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-Doctor G. G. Martin of Pecos, Tex., is stopping at the Lindell.

-C. Simon of Kosciusko, Miss., has rooms at the Planters.

-Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Cushing of Kansas City. Mo, are at the Southern.

-E. L. Remer of Leeper, Mo, was at the Laclede yesterday

-W. N. Gorham of Nashville, Tenn., is registered at the Moser.

-Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Easten of Green.

-Mrs. Maud Murphy of Fort Smith, Ark., is a guest at the Southern.

-Henry Boiton of London, England, has rooms at the Planters.

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Her Husband,

REPUBLIC SPECIAL. Springfield, Iil., Feb. 23.-After a perilous ride of forty-three miles on the "blind baggage" of a Wabash express train. Charles Foley and Mrs. Theodore Schlick of this city reached Decatur late last night, only to fall into the hands of waiting police officers. To-day the runaways were returned to Springfield and Foley is in the city prison. Last night an anonymous telepho and an anonymous telephone message informed Schlick that his wife and Foley were preparing to leave together for Peru, Ind. With his wife's father, Schlick hurried to the railway station to intercept the couple. The runaways espled their pursuers and hid on the front platform of the baggage car. In this manner they reached Decatur.

Decatur.

When Foley was brought back to-day under arrest, Mrs. Schlick came, too. The woman went to the Commercial Hotel and then sent for her father. An affecting scene followed in the hotel parlor. It ended with the father taking home his daughter, where she was reunited with her husband, who has forgiven the escapade.

FILES CLAIM AGAINST CHINA.

Sister of Charles A. Anderson, Killed in Boxer Uprising.

Whiting, Ia., Feb. 23.-Charles A. Anderson has filed a claim with the State Department at Washington for \$30,000 damages for the death of his sister. Hilda S. ages for the death of his sister, Hilda S. Anderson, who was killed by the boxers in Mongolla Province, China, in 1999.

Two of Mr. Anderson's sisters were killed in China in the late uprising against foreigners, but only one was a subject of the United States, the other sister being a citizen of Sweden. Hilda S. Anderson was naturalized at Rockford, Ill., in 1897, and went to China as a missionary for the Christian Alliance meeting yesterday afternoon at Walhalla
Hall and in an address requested the support of the organization for a bill to be intreduced in the Legislature prohibiting children, under the age of H years from working in factories, mercantile establishments
and offices.

Professor Prentis said the measure was
being pressed by the State Teachers' Assoclation and that they had secured the support of more than 200 labor organizations in
Missouri. The requested action was taken
unanimously by the body.

A communication from the allied printing
trades requesting that the part of the resointion recently passed by the Central Trades
in which it was stated that the printing
matter being distributed by the Louislana
Purchase Exposition Company was being
printed in nonunion offices be corrected.
The matter was sent back to the Alled
Printing Trades Council for adjustment.

Formal notice was given by the Barbers'
Union of a new contract with employing
barbers which the organization will place
in effect March 1. They also announced
that the International Union has adopted a
new label, to also become effective on that
date.

Amendments to the constitution of the
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Children Indorsed. Professor Henning Webb Prentis, principal of the Hodgen School, appeared before the Central Trades and Labor Union at the

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